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of the United States

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Washington, D.C. 20548

Decision

Matter of: Romtec, Inc.--Entitlement to Costs

File: B-255273.2

Date: April 12, 1994

DECISION

Romtec, Inc. requests that our Office declare it entitled, pursuant to 4 C.F.R. § 21.6(e) (1993), to recover the reasonable costs of filing and pursuing its protest under solicitation No. DAKF57-93-B-0053, issued by the Department of the Army. The agency took corrective action within 2 weeks of the filing of the protest.

We will find an entitlement to costs only where an agency unduly delayed taking corrective action in the face of a clearly meritorious protest. Oklahoma Indian Corp.--Claim for Costs, 70 Comp. Gen. 558 (1991), 91-1 CPD ¶ 558. Because, in this instance, the agency took prompt corrective action, there is no basis for determining that the payment of protest costs is warranted. See Dunair Elecs., Inc.--Entitlement to Costs, B-244290.2, Sept. 18, 1991, 91-2 CPD ¶ 260.

The request for a declaration of entitlement to costs is denied.

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